## REPORTS ANALYSIS REFERRAL

TO

## OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

DATE: June 29, 2005

ANALYST: Dayna C. Brown

I. COMMITTEE: Mor

Morse for Congress 2004

(C00388595)

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II. RELEVANT STATUTES: 2 U.S.C. §434a

11 CFR §111.31 11 CFR § 104.18

# III. BACKGROUND:

#### Failure to File Reports and Late Filings

The Morse for Congress 2004 committee ("the Committee") exceeded the electronic filing threshold with the paper filing of its 2004 July Quarterly Report. Therefore, the committee was required to file each of the remaining reports in the 2003-2004 election cycle, electronically. The Committee filed its 2004 July Quarterly, October Quarterly, and 30 Day Post General Reports on paper. The Commission consequently considered these reports as 'not-filed' and recoded all reports as Miscellaneous Documents (MS-T's), thus deleting the activity from the disclosure data base. The Committee also failed to file the 2004 12 Day Pre-General and Year End Reports. The Committee's failure to file the required reports resulted in the Committee not being included in the Administrative Fine Program for the 2004 July Quarterly, October Quarterly, 12 Day Pre-General, 30 Day Post General and Year End Reports (See Attachment 2 for a Committee Election Cycle Overview).

#### **2004 July Quarterly Report**

On July 30, 2004, the Committee received a 'Failure to File' notice (RQ-7) referencing the 2004 July Quarterly Report (Image 24038491557). On August 9, 2004, 25 days after the due date, the Committee filed a paper 2004 July Quarterly Report disclosing \$107,839 in receipts and \$69,583 in disbursements (Image 24038492667). With the filing of this report, the Committee exceeded the mandatory electronic filing threshold and also became eligible for inclusion in the

Administrative Fine Program. On August 11, 2004, the Committee was sent a 'Failure to File an Original Report in an Electronic Format' mailgram (MS-P) notifying them that the reporting requirement would not be satisfied until the report was filed in an electronic format (Image 24038494914). The paper 2004 July Quarterly Report was reclassified as a miscellaneous document (MS-T) within the FEC database. On August 18, 2004, the candidate called the Commission in response to the MS-P mailgram sent on August 11, 2004. The Reports Analysis Division (RAD) analyst explained the steps which the Committee would need to undertake in order to file electronically with the Commission (Attachment 3). On June 8, 2005 the Committee filed a 2004 July Quarterly Report electronically disclosing the same amount of receipts and disbursements which were highlighted within the August 9, 2004 paper report (Image 25980537304).

# **2004 October Quarterly Report**

On October 22, 2004, the Committee received a RQ-7 notice referencing the 2004 October Quarterly Report (Image 24038601795). On October 23, 2004, 8 days after the due date, the Committee filed a paper 2004 October Quarterly Report disclosing \$32,266.62 in receipts and \$7,275 in disbursements for the period from July 16, 2004 through October 15, 2004 (Image 24038592507). Having met the mandatory electronic filing threshold during the 2004 July Quarterly reporting period, the Committee was required to file this and all subsequent reports electronically. On October 27, 2004, the Committee was sent a MS-P mailgram notifying them that the reporting requirement would not be satisfied until the report was filed in an electronic format (Image 24038611766). The paper 2004 October Quarterly Report was reclassified as a MS-T within the FEC database. On June 17, 2005, the Committee filed a 2004 12 Day Pre-Primary Report electronically for the period from July 1, 2004 through August 25, 2004 disclosing \$78,604.00 in receipts and \$1,945 in disbursements (Image 25970356387).

# 2004 12 Day Pre-General Report

Also on October 22, 2004, the Committee received a RQ-7 notice referencing the 2004 12 Day Pre-General Report (Image 24038601907). Please note that the Committee did file a paper 2004 October Quarterly Report on October 23, 2004 (see above for specifics) which encompassed the required filing dates outlined within the 12 Day Pre-General period (Image 24038592507). To date the Committee has not filed the required report electronically.

## 2004 30 Day Post-General Report

On December 17, 2004, the Committee received a RQ-7 notice referencing the 2004 October Quarterly Report (Image 24038671435). On December 28, 2004, 26 days after the due date, the Committee filed a paper 2004 30 Day Post General Report disclosing \$31,509.00 in receipts and \$1,000.00 in disbursements (Image 24038673695). On January 12, 2005, the Committee received a MS-P mailgram notifying them that the reporting requirement would not be satisfied until the report was filed in an electronic format (Image 25038692111). On June 18, 2005 the Committee filed a 2004 30 Day Post-General Report electronically disclosing \$13,696.00 in receipts and \$12,744.00 in disbursements (Image 25970356387).

# 2004 Year End Report

On February 16, 2005, the Committee received a RQ-7 notice referencing the 2004 Year End Report (Image 25038740750). On June 19, 2005 the Committee filed the 2004 Year End Report electronically disclosing receipts of \$802.00 and \$0.00 in disbursements.

To date, no further communication has been received from the Committee regarding these matters.

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FILING FREQUENCY: QUARTERLY

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**BROOKLIVE** 

HOUSE MA 02446 ID #C00388595

| FOR         | M TYPE                     | RPT TYPE  | ΑI                    | PGI | REC DATE   | PGS              | BEG IMAGE  | COVERAC                 | GE DATES                 | BEG CASH | RECEIPTS               | DISBURSE     | END CASH         | DEBTS BY |
|-------------|----------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----|--|------------------|--|-------------------------|--------------------------|----------|------------------------|--------------|------------------|----------|
|             | 1<br>1<br>1                |           | N<br>N<br>A           |     | 7/18/2003<br>7/28/2003<br>10/30/2003   | 2                | 23038141636<br>23038154053<br>23038233622  |                         |                          |          |                        |              |                  |          |
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| 2907        | RQ<br>RQ                   | Q3        | 1 2                   |     | 8/26/2003<br>12/09/2003  | 3                | 23038194069 23038250813  | 7/01/2003               | 8/26/2003<br>9/30/2003   |          |                        |              |                  |          |
| 7           | RQ<br>RQ                   | YE<br>YE  | 2 2                   |     | 3/16/2004<br>5/04/2004   |                  | 24038341136<br>24038402224   | 10/01/2003<br>8/15/2003 | 12/31/2003<br>12/31/2003 |          |                        |              |                  |          |
| 9<br>0<br>N | RQ<br>RQ                   | 12P<br>Q2 | 2<br>7                |     | 5/11/2004<br>7/30/2004   |                  | 24038404373<br>24038491554   | 1/01/2004<br>4/01/2004  | 3/31/2004<br>6/30/2004   |          |                        |              |                  |          |
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|             | RQ                         | 30G       | 7                     |     | 12/17/2004   | 2                | 24038671435  | 10/14/2004              | 11/22/2004               |          |                        |              |                  |          |
|             | RQ<br>3                    | YE<br>Q3  | 7<br>N                |     | 2/16/2005  |                  | 25038740750<br>23038220228   | 7/01/2003               | 9/30/2003                | 10       | 10075                  | 9092         | 982              | . 0      |
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| 3         | YE         | A P        | 6/06/2005              | 11  | 25990999363                | 10/01/2003             | 12/31/2003 | 982      | 5026           | 6000         | 8            | 0        |
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| 3         | Q2         | N          | 6/08/2005              | 12  | 25980537304                | 4/01/2004              | 6/30/2004  | 8168     | 107839         | 69583        | 46425        | 0        |
| 3         | 12P        | N P        | 6/17/2005              | 10  | 25970356387                | 7/01/2004              | 8/25/2004  | 46425    | 78604          | 1945         | 123084       | 0        |
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| \$106,877 \$0.00 | \$0           | \$802               | \$106,074          | 12/31/2004          | 11/23/2004         | 5         | 25970392344  | 6/19/2005    | KQ-/     | 2004 YE  |
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|                  |               |                     |                    |                     |                    |           | 25038740750  | 2/16/2005    | B 0 7    | 37 100   |
| \$106,074        | \$12,744      | \$13,696            | \$105,122          | 11/22/2004          | 10/14/2004         | 10        | 25970391904  | /18/         |          |          |
|                  |               |                     |                    |                     | 20/ 20/ =00-       | ,         | 25038692111  | 1/12/2005    | MS-P     |          |
| \$8,764          | \$13,745      | \$1,000             | \$21,509           | 11/2/2004           | 10/16/2004         | 6         | 24038671435  | 12/17/2004   | +-1      | 2004 30G |
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|                  |               |                     |                    |                     |                    |           | 24038601907  | 10/22/2004   | RQ-7     | 2004 12G |
| 0,021            |               | ±00,07¢             | \$40,4 <i>23</i>   | 8/25/2004           | 7/1/2004           | 10        | 25970356387  | 6/17/2005    |          | 2004 12P |
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| \$0C'17¢         | \$32,266      | \$7,2/5             | \$46,501           | 10/15/2004          | 7/16/2004          | 7         | 24038592507  | 10/23/2004   | MS-T     |          |
| <b>1</b> 500     |               |                     |                    |                     |                    |           | 24038601795  | 10/22/2004   | RQ-7     | 2004 Q3  |
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| \$46,425         | \$69,583      | \$107,839           | \$8,168            | 6/30/2004           | 4/1/2004           | 14        | 25980537304  | 8            |          |          |
| 201              |               |                     |                    |                     |                    |           | 24038494914  | 8/11/2004    | MS-P     |          |
| \$40,501         | \$69,583      | \$107,839           | \$8,425            | 7/15/2004           | 4/1/2004           | 15        | 24038492667  | 8/9/2004     | T-SW     |          |
| 247 601          |               |                     |                    |                     |                    |           | 24038491557  | 7/30/2004    | RQ-7     | 2004 Q2  |
|                  |               |                     |                    |                     |                    |           |  |              |          |          |
| \$8,168          | \$7,893       | \$16,053            | <del>\$</del> 8    | 3/31/2004           | 1/1/2004           | 8         | 25991000484  | 6/6/2005     |          | 2003 Q1  |
| \$8,245          | \$7,893       | \$16,053            | \$85               | 3/31/2004           | 1/1/2004           | 12        | 24038352559  | 4/8/2004     |          | 2004 12P |
| ð                | \$6,000       | \$5,026             | \$982              | 12/31/2003          | 10/1/2003          | 11        | 25990999363  | 6/6/2005     |          |          |
| \$84             |               |                     | \$0                | 12/31/2003          | 8/15/2003          | 19        | 24038344641  | 3/31/2004    |          |          |
| \$66             | \$5,000       | \$5,03 <del>4</del> | \$100              | 12/31/2003          | 10/1/2003          | 14        | 24038261560  | 1/12/2004    |          | 2003 YE  |
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| \$982            | \$9,092       | \$10,075            | <del>\$</del>      | 9/30/2003           | $\exists$          | 7         | 25990986627  | 6/2/2005     |          | 20007    |
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